GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1217
ANSWERED ON:08.12.2004
NHDP PHASE I AND II
Saradgi Shri Iqbal Ahmed

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the implementation of the National Highway Development Project I & II is in progress;

(b) if so, whether the Government is drawing up more highway development projects such as NHDP Phase−II and IV and accelerated North-East Road Development Project involving a total cost of Rs. 1,17,200/- crore;

(c) if so, the total highway projects that the Government has agreed to consider;

(d) the progress so far made for the projects I & II;

(e) the amount earmarked for phase−III & IV; and

(f) the time by when the rest of the projects are likely to become functional?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS(SHRI K. H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b)and (c) The Ministry has framed two new projects which are still under proposal stage.

(d) The status of the National Highways Development Project Phase-I & Phase-II (including port connectivity and other projects) being implemented by the National Highways Authority of India as on 31.10.2004 is at Annexure-I.

(e) and (f) Since NHDP - NE and NHDP Phase-III are under proposal stage, it is too early to give the amount earmarked for these projects as well as the time by when these projects are likely to become functional.

ANNEXURE - I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1217 TO BE ANSWERED ON 8TH DECEMBER 2004 ASKED BY SHRI IQBAL AHMED SARADGI REGARDING NHDP PHASE I AND II.

Status of NHDP

Name of Projects under NHDP Phase I & II	Total Length (km)	Completed Length(km)	Length under implementation (km)	Balance length to be awarded (km)
Golden Quadrilateral (connecting four metros i.e. Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai and Kolkata)	5846	3294	2552	Nil
North-South & East-West Corridor (connecting Srinagar to Kanyakumari & Porbandhar to Silchar)	7300	675	388	6237

Port Connectivity Projects (connecting major ports to NHDP)	356	69	229	58
Other projects	777	194	121	462
Total	14279	4232	3290	6757